

## CITY OF MADERA REDISTRICTING 2021-2022

## Describe & map your community

Redistricting is the process of adjusting the lines of voting districts in accordance with population shifts. Every ten years, districts must be redrawn so that each district is substantially equal in population. This process is important in ensuring that each Councilmember represents about the same number of constituents.

## **Describe your community**

Tell us about your community. What are your shared interests? What brings you together? What is important to your community? Are there nearby areas you want to be in a district with? Nearby areas you don't want to be in a district with? Why or why not? It's important that your testimony include information about where your community lives.



Submit a hand drawn or digital map. Communities of Interest (known as "COIs") are groups or neighborhoods with significant shared interests that deserve consideration by representatives. If you would like to submit a map created using your own software, please include: (1) a GIS Shapefile and/or a Census Block equivalency file (using 2020 Census Blocks); and, (2) a description of the choices and key points of your map.

**Submit your input** 

Submit written testimony about the process and/or maps to redistricting@madera.gov.



## **Attend public meetings**

**Community Workshops** 

December 04 • 10:00 - 11:30 AM John Wells Youth Center | Gvm 701 E 5th Street, Madera, CA 93638

January 16 • 1:30 - 3:00 PM Pan Am Community Center | Gym 703 Sherwood Way, Madera, CA 93638

**Draft Public Hearings** 

January 05 • 7:00 PM Madera City Hall | Council Chambers 205 W 4th Street, Madera, CA 93637

February 02 • 7:00 PM Madera City Hall | Council Chambers 205 W 4th Street, Madera, CA 93637

**Adoption Public Hearings** 

February 16 • 7:00 PM Madera City Hall | Council Chambers 205 W 4th Street, Madera, CA 93637



Questions? Contact redistricting@madera.gov For more information, please visit www.madera.gov/redistricting